



## **BEARFACTS 1992 – 2002**

### **Atchison , Missouri [29005]**

Atchison is one of 115 counties in Missouri. It is not part of a Metropolitan Area. Its 2002 population of 6,256 ranked 107th in the state.

#### **PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2002 Atchison had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$22,048. This PCPI ranked 44th in the state and was 78 percent of the state average, \$28,382, and 72 percent of the national average, \$30,821. The 2002 PCPI reflected a decrease of 9.5 percent from 2001. The 2001-2002 state change was 2.0 percent and the national change was 0.8 percent. In 1992 the PCPI of Atchison was \$17,239 and ranked 15th in the state. The 1992-2002 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 2.5 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 3.9 percent and for the nation was 4.0 percent.

#### **TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2002 Atchison had a total personal income (TPI) of \$137,930\*. This TPI ranked 105th in the state and accounted for 0.1 percent of the state total. In 1992 the TPI of Atchison was \$122,775\* and ranked 93rd in the state. The 2002 TPI reflected a decrease of 11.3 percent from 2001. The 2001-2002 state change was 2.7 percent and the national change was 1.8 percent. The 1992-2002 average annual growth rate of TPI was 1.2 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.8 percent and for the nation was 5.2 percent.

#### **COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Atchison. In 2002 net earnings accounted for 48.8 percent of TPI (compared with 57.2 in 1992); dividends, interest, and rent were 23.2 percent (compared with 24.6 in 1992); and personal current transfer receipts were 28.0 percent (compared with 18.1 in 1992). From 2001 to 2002 net earnings decreased 18.0 percent; dividends, interest, and rent decreased 13.9 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 6.3 percent. From 1992 to 2002 net earnings decreased on average 0.4 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 0.5 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 5.7 percent.

#### **EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK**

Earnings of persons employed in Atchison decreased from \$70,911\* in 2001 to \$55,518\* in 2002, a decrease of 21.7 percent. The 2001-2002 state change was 3.1 percent and the national change was 2.1 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1992 estimate of \$69,075\* to the 2002 estimate was - 2.2 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.9 percent and for the nation was 5.4 percent.

*\*Note: All income estimates with the exception of PCPI are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.*

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